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March 24, 2021

Re: DW 20-184, Aquarion Water Company of New Hampshire, Inc.  
Request for Change in Rates  
Procedural Schedule

To the Parties:

On March 10, 2021, the Commission held a duly noticed prehearing conference in the above-referenced matter. Appearances were entered by Aquarion Water Company of New Hampshire, Inc. (Aquarion), the Office of the Consumer Advocate (OCA), and Commission Staff (Staff). The Commission granted petitions to intervene filed by the Towns of Hampton and North Hampton.

Following the prehearing conference, Aquarion, the OCA, the Towns of Hampton and North Hampton, and Staff met in a technical session and agreed upon the following schedule, which Staff submitted to the Commission by letter dated March 15, 2021:

Temporary Rate Proceeding

Data Requests – Set 1	April 8, 2021
Responses – Set 1	April 22, 2021
Technical Session <sup>1</sup>	April 29, 2021, at 9:00 a.m.
Technical Session Data Requests	April 30, 2021
Responses to Technical Session Data Requests	May 6, 2021
File Settlement on Temporary Rates	June 3, 2021
Hearing on Temporary Rates	June 9, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.

Permanent Rate Proceeding

Data Requests – Set 2	June 24, 2021
Responses – Set 2	July 8, 2021
Data Requests – Set 3	July 22, 2021
Responses – Set 3	August 5, 2021
Technical Session/Settlement Conference	August 19, 2021, at 9:00 a.m.
Technical Session Data Requests	August 20, 2021
Responses to Technical Session Data Requests	August 27, 2021

Data Requests – Set 4	September 9, 2021
Responses – Set 4	September 23, 2021

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<sup>1</sup> Any technical session held in a Commission proceeding may potentially involve settlement discussions, which will be restricted to participation by parties only and must be treated as confidential and not disclosed, consistent with N.H. Admin. R., Puc 203.20(a).

Data Requests – Set 5	October 7, 2021
Responses – Set 5	October 21, 2021
Technical Session/Settlement Conference	November 10, 2021, at 9:00 a.m.
Technical Session Data Requests	November 12, 2021
Responses to Technical Session Data Requests	November 19, 2021

Settlement Track

File Settlement on Permanent Rates	January 6, 2022
Hearing on Permanent Rate Settlement	January 12, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.

Litigation Track

Staff and Intervenor Testimony	January 13, 2022
Data Requests – Staff and Intervenor Testimony	February 3, 2022
Responses – Staff and Intervenor Testimony	February 17, 2022
Technical Session/Settlement Conference	March 3, 2022, at 9:00 a.m.
File Settlement or Rebuttal Testimony	March 31, 2022
Hearing on Permanent Rates	April 13-14, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.

The Commission has determined that the proposed schedule is in the public interest and, therefore, has approved it. For administrative efficiency, the Commission has elected to issue this secretarial letter as its prehearing order.

Sincerely,



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Executive Director

cc: Service List (Electronically)  
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